

# Georgii Bogdanov

## Personal information

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## Education

- 2019 – 2023** Department of Chemical and Biochemical Engineering, University of California Irvine, California, USA
- Ph.D. «Chemical and Biochemical Engineering », Advisor – Gorodetsky A.A.
- 2019 – 2022** Department of Chemical and Biochemical Engineering, University of California Irvine, California, USA
- M.S. «Chemical and Biochemical Engineering », Advisor – Gorodetsky A.A.
- 2017 – 2019** Department of Chemistry, New Mexico Highlands University, New Mexico, USA
- M.S. «Chemistry», Advisor – Timofeeva T.V.
- 2016 – 2018** School of laser and light engineering, Department of IT in the Fuel and Energy Industry, ITMO University, Saint-Petersburg, Russia
- M.S. «Laser Engineering and Laser Technologies», Advisor – Denisyuk I.Y.
- 2012 – 2016** School of optical-information systems and technologies, Department of optoelectronic instrumentation and systems, ITMO University, Saint-Petersburg, Russia
- B.S. «Optical engineering», Advisor – Gorbachev A.A.

## Research experience

- 2019 - present** Studying properties of cephalopod skin cells, engineering human living cells with specific optical properties, developing of infrared camouflage based on living cells
- 2017 - 2019** X-Ray analysis of crystal structures (cocrystals and monocrystals), working on the development of setup for crystal growth from vapor phase
- 2016 - 2017** Modification of polymer materials surfaces by reactive ion etching
- 2012 - 2016** Developing of Control optical system of deformations of oversized object

## Work experience

- June 2019 – present**      **Graduate research assistant**  
Gorodetsky Group, University of California Irvine, Irvine, CA, USA  
**Duties:**
- Development of new bioinspired materials for applications in optics and electronics
  - Engineering human living cells with specific optical properties
  - Studying optical and electronic properties of living cells
  - Leader of the living cell-oriented research subgroup
  - Teaching assistant
- August 2017 – June 2019**      **Graduate research assistant**  
Department of Chemistry, New Mexico Highlands University, Las Vegas, NM, USA  
**Duties:**
- Crystallographic studies of organic electronic and photonic materials
  - Development of new laboratory equipment for organic crystal growth
  - Technical support of X-ray diffraction instrumentation and other research equipment
  - Purchasing of supplies and chemicals
- August 2016 – August 2017**      **Engineer**  
Department of Radiology, Military Medical Academy named by S.M.Kirov, Saint-Petersburg, Russian Federation.  
**Duties:**
- Technical support of medical equipment – X-ray, MRI tomographs, CT scanners
  - Provision of medical supplies
  - Working with dangerous equipment and substances
  - Technical documentation
- July 2015 – August 2016**      **Engineer**  
«Group of Optical and Technical Companies» LLC., Saint-Petersburg, Russian Federation.  
**Duties:**
- Manufacturing of optical and optical-electronic devices
  - Technical documentation
  - Participation in auctions of public procurement, preparation of documentation, communication with customers
  - Development of the corporate website
- May 2013 – June 2015**      **Media designer**  
National Research University of Information Technologies, Mechanics and Optics (NRU ITMO University), Saint-Petersburg, Russia  
**Duties:**
- Preparation and conducting media support of the events
  - Configuring and debugging computer networks
  - Work with sets of organizational and administrative documentation
  - Light director (September 2014 – June 2015)
  - Sound director (May 2013 – September 2014)
  - 3D motion, computer graphics, video production

## Teaching experience

- Fall 2020**      **Head Teaching Assistant – Engineering 1A: General Chemistry for Engineers**  
Department of Chemical and Biochemical Engineering  
University of California Irvine, California, USA
- Taught lecture to 140 freshmen students of School of Engineering
  - Taught discussion section to 50 freshmen students of School of Engineering
  - Held remote office hours twice a week
  - Recorded lecture materials, prepared exams, quizzes and homework assignments for the course delivered remotely
  - Graded exams and quizzes
- Fall 2019**      **Reader – Engineering 1A: General Chemistry for Engineers**  
Department of Chemical and Biochemical Engineering  
University of California Irvine, California, USA
- Taught discussion section to 35 freshmen students of School of Engineering when teaching assistants were out of town
  - Held office hours twice a week
  - Graded exams and quizzes
- Spring 2019**      **Teaching assistant – CHEM 1225: General Chemistry II**  
Department of Chemistry  
New Mexico Highlands University, California, USA
- Taught lab to 20 upper-division biology and chemistry majors
  - Held remote office hours twice a week
  - Graded lab reports
- Fall 2018**      **Teaching assistant – CHEM 1215: General Chemistry I**  
Department of Chemistry  
New Mexico Highlands University, California, USA
- Taught lab to 20 upper-division biology and chemistry majors
  - Held remote office hours twice a week
  - Graded lab reports

## Publications

- Bogdanov, G.**, Oskolkov, E., Bustos, J., Glebov, V., Tillotson, J. P., & Timofeeva, T. V. (2020). Molecular and crystal structure, optical properties and DFT studies of 1,4-dimethoxy-2,5-bis[2-(4-nitrophenyl)ethenyl]benzene. *Acta Crystallogr.* **E76**(6), 940–943. <https://doi.org/10.1107/s205698902000674x>
- Bogdanov, G.**, Bustos, J., Glebov, V., Oskolkov, E., Tillotson, J. P., & Timofeeva, T. V. (2020). Molecular and crystal structure, lattice energy and DFT calculations of two 2'-(nitrobenzoyloxy)acetophenone isomers. *Acta Crystallogr.* **E76**(6), 857–861. <https://doi.org/10.1107/s2056989020006295>
- Bogdanov, G.**, Tillotson, J. P., Khrustalev, V. N., Rigin, S., & Timofeeva, T. V. (2019). Synthesis and structural study of organic two-photon-absorbing cycloalkanone chromophores. *Acta Crystallogr.* **C75**(11), 1554–1561. <https://doi.org/10.1107/s2053229619014360>
- Bogdanov, G.**, Tillotson, J. P., & Timofeeva, T. (2019). Crystal structures, syntheses, and spectroscopic and electrochemical measurements of two push–pull chromophores: 2-[4-(dimethylamino)benzylidene]-1H-indene-1,3(2H)-dione and (E)-2-{3-[4-(dimethylamino)phenyl]allylidene}-1H-indene-1,3(2H)-dione. *Acta Crystallogr.* **E75**(11), 1595–1599. <https://doi.org/10.1107/s205698901901329x>
- Bogdanov, G.**, Tillotson, J. P., Khrustalev, V. N., Rigin, S., & Timofeeva, T. V. (2019). Synthesis, crystal structure studies and solvatochromic behaviour of two 2-{5-[4-(dimethylamino)phenyl]penta-2,4-dien-1-ylidene}malononitrile derivatives. *Acta Crystallogr.* **C75**(8), 1175–1181. <https://doi.org/10.1107/s2053229619010398>
- Bogdanov, G.**, Tillotson, J. P., Bustos, J., & Timofeeva, T. V. (2019). Synthesis and structure of push–pull merocyanines based on barbituric and thiobarbituric acid. *Acta Crystallogr.* **E75**(9), 1306–1310. <https://doi.org/10.1107/s2056989019011071>
- Bogdanov, G.**, Tillotson, J. P., Bustos, J., Fonari, M. & Timofeeva, T.V. (2019). Crystal structure of tetramethylammonium 1,1,7,7-tetracyanohepta-2,4,6-trienide. *Acta Crystallogr.* **E75**, <https://doi.org/10.1107/S2056989019011411>
- Ashfaq, M., **Bogdanov, G.**, Ali, A., Tahir, M. N., & Abdullah, S. (2021). Pyrimethamine-Based Novel Co-Crystal Salt: Synthesis, Single-Crystal Investigation, Hirshfeld surface analysis and DFT inspection of the 2,4-diamino-5-(4-chlorophenyl)-6-ethylpyrimidin-1-ium 2,4-dichlorobenzoate (1:1) (DECB). *J. Mol. Struct.*, 130215. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.molstruc.2021.130215>
- Ashfaq, M., **Bogdanov, G.**, Glebov, V., Ali, A., Tahir, M. N., & Abdullah, S. (2020). Single Crystal Investigation, Hirshfeld Surface Analysis and DFT Exploration of the Pyrimethamine-Based Novel Organic Salt: 2, 4-diamino-5-(4-chlorophenyl)-6-ethylpyrimidin-1-ium 3-carboxybenzoate hydrate (1:1:1). *J. Mol. Struct.*, 129309. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.molstruc.2020.129309>
- Tillotson, J. P., **Bogdanov, G.**, Jucov, E. V., Khrustalev, V. N., Rigin, S., Hales, J. M., ... Timofeeva, T. V. (2019). Synthesis, structure, linear and nonlinear properties of tricyanofuran-terminated merocyanine dyes. *J. Mol. Struct.* **1189**, 146–154. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.molstruc.2019.04.001>
- Ashfaq, M., Munawar, K. S., **Bogdanov, G.**, Ali, A., Tahir, M. N., Ahmed, G., Ramalingam, A., Alam, M. M., Imran, M., Sambandam, S., & Munir, B. (2021). Single crystal inspection,

Hirshfeld surface investigation and DFT study of a novel derivative of 4-fluoroaniline: 4-((4-fluorophenyl)amino)-4-oxobutanoic acid (BFAOB). *J. Iran. Chem. Soc.*

<https://doi.org/10.1007/s13738-021-02432-4>

- Rigin, S., Tillotson, J., Perry, J., Khrustalev, V. N., **Bogdanov, G.**, & Timofeeva, T. V. (2019). Polymorphism of Merocyanine Dyes Homologues with 1,3-Diethyl-2-thiobarbituric Acid Acceptor and p-Dimethylaminobenzene Donor and Different Polymethine Chains Connecting Them. *Crystal Growth & Design*, **20**(1), 167–177. <https://doi.org/10.1021/acs.cgd.9b00961>
- Ashfaq, M., Tahir, M. N., Muhammad, S., Munawar, K. S., Ali, A., **Bogdanov, G.**, & Alarfaji, S. S. (2021). Single-crystal investigation, Hirshfeld surface analysis, and DFT study of third-order NLO properties of unsymmetrical acyl thiourea derivatives. *ACS Omega*, **6**(46), 31211–31225. <https://doi.org/10.1021/acsomega.1c04884>

## Publications in progress

- Farrukh, A., Chatterjee, A., **Bogdanov, G.** & Gorodetsky, A.A. Cephalopod-Inspired Bioelectronic Control of Cellular Communication. *Nature Biomedical Engineering*. *In Review*.
- Bogdanov, G.**, Chatterjee, A., Makeeva, N., Farrukh, A., Gorodetsky, A.A. Squid Leucophore-Inspired Three-Dimensional Engineering of Human Cells. *iScience*. *In Review*.

## Conference publications

- Bogdanov, G.**, Rigin, S., Gallegos, G., & Timofeeva, T. V. (2018). Custom setup for organic crystal growth by vapor deposition. *Acta Crystallogr.* **A74**(a1), a311–a311. <https://doi.org/10.1107/s0108767318096897>
- Rigin, S., **Bogdanov, G.**, Fonari, M., & Timofeeva, T. V. (2018). Computational analysis of charge-transfer crystalline complexes. *Acta Crystallogr.* **A74**(a1), a310–a310. <https://doi.org/10.1107/s0108767318096903>

**Total citations as of October 12, 2022: 97.**

## Conferences

- August 21-22, 2022**  
**San Diego, CA, USA** [INVITED] DYNAMIC MATERIALS INSPIRED BY CEPHALOPODS // Alon A. Gorodetsky, **Georgii Bogdanov** / *SPIE Vol. 12210, Organic and Hybrid Sensors and Bioelectronics XV* / Oral presentation
- June 26 – July 1, 2022**  
**Newport, RI, USA** DYNAMIC BIOPHOTONIC SYSTEMS INSPIRED BY CEPHALOPODS // **Georgii Bogdanov**, Atrouli Chatterjee, Nikhil Kaimal, Aleeza Farrukh, Alon A. Gorodetsky / *2022 Gordon Research Conference: BioAnalytical Sensors* / Poster
- June 12-17, 2022**  
**Barga, Italy** DYNAMIC MATERIALS INSPIRED BY CEPHALOPODS // **Georgii Bogdanov**, Alon A. Gorodetsky / *2022 Gordon Research Conference Biointerface Science* / Poster
- November 28 –**  
**December 2, 2021**  
**Boston, MA, USA** REFLECTIN-BASED OPTICAL STRUCTURES IN HUMAN CELLS // **Georgii Bogdanov**, Alon A. Gorodetsky / *2021 MRS Fall Meeting* / Oral presentation
- November 27 –**  
**December 4, 2020**  
**Virtual** CEPHALOPOD-INSPIRED OPTICAL ENGINEERING OF HUMAN CELLS // Aleeza Farrukh, Atrouli Chatterjee, **Georgii Bogdanov**, Alon A. Gorodetsky / *2020 MRS Virtual Spring/Fall Meeting, Online Only* / Oral presentation
- November 13-16, 2019**  
**El Paso, TX, USA** SOLID-STATE STRUCTURAL STUDY OF FLUORO-SUBSTITUTED DERIVATIVES OF 2-METHYL-2-PHENYLPROPIONAMIDE // Maria I. Barron-Gonzalez, Victoria Sena, **Georgii Bogdanov**, Tatiana V. Timofeeva, Arcadius V. Krivoshein / *American Chemical Society's 2019 Southwest Regional and Rocky Mountain Regional Meeting* / Poster
- November 13-16, 2018**  
**Moscow, Russia** STRUCTURE AND PROPERTIES OF NEW PUSH-PULL MOLECULES // **Georgii Bogdanov**, John P Tillotson, Joseph Perry, Tatiana V Timofeeva / *International Workshop on Chemical Crystallography and Structural Biology ("The Second Struchkov Meeting")* / Oral presentation
- November 4-8, 2018**  
**Rio de Janeiro, Brazil** GROWTH OF DIFFERENT CONFORMATION BY VAPOR DEPOSITION // **Georgii Bogdanov**, Tatiana V. Timofeeva / *2018 Sustainable Industrial Processing Summit and Exhibition* / Oral presentation
- October 26, 2018**  
**Albuquerque, NM,**  
**USA** STRUCTURE AND PROPERTIES OF NEW PUSH-PULL MOLECULES // **Georgii Bogdanov**, John P Tillotson, Joseph Perry, Tatiana V Timofeeva / *ACS Rocky Mountain Regional Meeting* / Oral presentation
- X-RAY AND DFT STUDIES OF NOVEL THIOBARBITURIC CHROMOPHORES WITH NONLINEAR OPTICAL PROPERTIES // Sergei Rigin, **Georgii Bogdanov**, Tatiana V. Timofeeva, John P. Tillotson / *ACS Rocky Mountain Regional Meeting* / Poster presentation
- July 20-24, 2018**  
**Toronto, Canada** CUSTOM SETUP FOR ORGANIC CRYSTAL GROWTH BY VAPOR DEPOSITION // **Georgii Bogdanov**, Sergei Rigin, Gil Gallegos, Tatiana V. Timofeeva / *American Crystallographic Association Annual Meeting* / Oral presentation
- November 4, 2017**  
**Albuquerque, NM,**  
**USA** CUSTOM SETUP FOR HIGH-QUALITY ORGANIC SEMICONDUCTOR CRYSTAL GROWTH // Evgenii Oskolkov, **Georgii Bogdanov**, Sergei Rigin, Gil Gallegos / *New Mexico Academy of Science 2017 Research Symposium* / Poster presentation

## Grants and awards

1. Division of Teaching Excellence and Innovation Graduate Fellowship, \$5000, July 2020
2. Medal “For the contribution to crystallography”, Struchkov Prize Association, November 2018
3. International program fellowship, ITMO University, \$6000, 2017-2018
4. Scholarship of the ITMO University’s Academic Council for merit in public activities, Saint-Petersburg, Russia, \$5000, 2013-2015

## Additional education

1. ACA Summer course in Chemical Crystallography, American Crystallographic Association, University of Notre Dame, South Bend, Indiana, USA, 2018
2. Professional development courses «Human Resource Management», RANEPА, Saint-Petersburg, Russia, 2015
3. Change the World Model United Nations (international educational conference dedicated to the discussion about global problems of modern society), New York, USA, 2014

## Skills

- Computer skills:**
- LabVIEW, MATLAB, Python
  - Physics simulations COMSOL
  - MS Office, Autodesk Inventor, SolidWorks
  - Cinema 4D, 3D MAX, DaVinci Resolve
  - Adobe: After Effects, Premiere Pro, Illustrator, Photoshop
  - Sound production – FL studio, Ableton

**Laboratory:** Cell culture, XRD, FTIR, SEM, TEM, NMR, MRI, CT

**Languages:** Russian – native, English – fluent

- Personal qualities and skills:**
- Focusing on results
  - Excellent communication skills
  - Fast learner
  - Creativity